

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.V.RAMULU

W.P.No. 16200 of 2006

DATED: 03-08-2006

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Between:

P. Vital Goud.

..Petitioner.

and

The Joint Collector (CS) Medak District at Sangareddy and others.

..Respondents.

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ORDER:

This writ petition is filed seeking a writ of mandamus declaring the action of respondents 1 and 2 in issuing proceedings No.J/660/2006 dated 02-06-2006 of the 2nd respondent suspending the authorization of the petitioner's Fair Price Shop Dealership, Ramojipally Village, Shankarampet (A) Mandal, Medak District and also issuing proceedings No.CSA/16/A/2006 dated 24-07-2006 of the 1st respondent rejecting the stay petition filed by the petitioner as illegal and arbitrary.

2. It appears that the petitioner is a Fair Price Shop Dealer of Ramojipally Village, Shankarampet(A) Mandal, Medak District for the last 15 years. While so, his authorization was suspended by the Revenue Divisional Officer, Medak-2nd respondent, vide order, dated 02-06-2006. Aggrieved by the same, the petitioner, in fact, filed an appeal before the Joint Collector (CS), Medak District- 1st respondent along with stay application seeking stay of all further proceedings in pursuance of the order of the 2nd respondent, dated 02-06-2006. While admitting the appeal, 1st respondent had rejected the stay application vide order, dated 24-07-2006.

3. The contention of the learned counsel for the petitioner is

that since 2nd respondent has not conducted any enquiry and since 1st respondent has rejected the stay petition, it is causing much hardship to the petitioner and that unless and until the enquiry is completed or the appeal is disposed of, it would be difficult for him to eke out his livelihood.

4. It may be noticed that the order passed by 2nd respondent on 02-06-2006 is a final order in suspending the dealership of the petitioner as a measure of punishment. However, 2nd respondent did not indicate the period of suspension of the petitioner.

5. In view of the above, 1st respondent is directed to dispose of the appeal filed by the petitioner within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Failure to do so, the authorization of the petitioner stands restored automatically.

Accordingly, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

C.V.RAMULU, J

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